



National Archives in Washington, DC

# National Archives and Records Administration

An Introduction, Grades K-3



### Meet the National Archives!



What is an archive?

A is for Archives

R is for Records

C is for Conservation

**H** is for History

I is for Investigating

V is for Valuable

**E** is for Everyone!



# A is for Archives





## **R** is for Records











#### **C** is for Conservation



**Before:** 

Preservation technician Marie with moldy and distorted records.

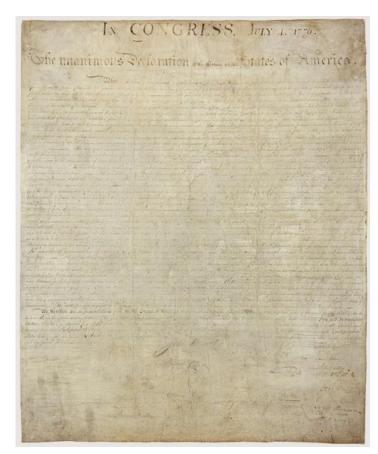
#### After:

Preservation technician Marie with cleaned and flattened records.



# **H** is for History

#### Charters of Freedom



The Declaration of Independence



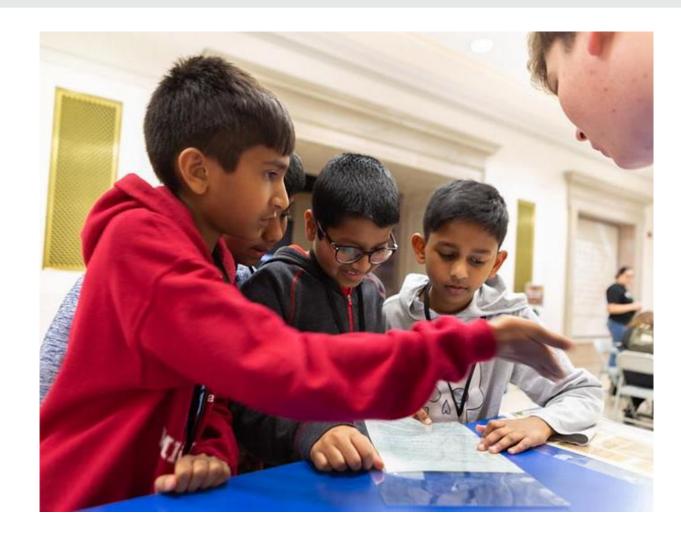
The Constitution



The Bill of Rights



# I is for Investigating







## **V** is for Valuable









# **E** is for Everyone!



